

ROYALISTS IN PORTUGAL PLAN AN UPRISING

Premier's Death was to Have Been Signal for Revolt—Forces Gather Along Portuguese Frontier.

Lisbon, Sept. 26.—A confession that they intended to assassinate the Portuguese premier and instigate a revolt was made today by the five men arrested last night while placing bombs around the premier's villa at Praia Das Micasas, a watering place near Cintra.

According to the Mundo the men were delegated by a syndicalist group to explode the bombs in Dr. Alfonso Costa's garden. His attention was to be attracted in this way and they intended to shoot him down when he appeared at the window to find out what had happened.

Dr. Costa's death, they declared, was to be the signal for a revolt. Armed bands, they said, were ready to rush the prison amid the confusion, and to liberate the prisoners.

The syndicalists, they asserted, had plotted also to kill the minister of war.

The Mundo avers that the royalists, radicals and republicans were implicated in the conspiracy.

Madrid, Spain, Sept. 26.—Hands of Portuguese royalists have gathered along the Portuguese frontier, according to despatches from Badajoz, where they intend to carry out a carefully laid plan to create slight disturbances at various points so as to attract the attention of the Portuguese while the main body of the royalist army marches on Lisbon from the north.

DRAW RULES OF THE AIR

German Conference Will Seek for International Legislation for Uniform Control of Aviation.

Frankfort-On-Main, Germany, Sept. 26.—The conference under the auspices of the International Law Committee of Aviation today adopted the following principles, on which they will endeavor to secure international legislation for the uniform control of aviation.

Rights of private property do not entitle land holders to prohibit aviators flying over their lands if such flying is done without occasioning inconveniences, but any abuse of this privilege by a flier will make him legally responsible.

The owner of an aircraft shall be responsible for damages to persons or property, except to persons on board an aircraft; but the owner of the aircraft may recover against a person who causes damages and also may plead that damages were due to forces beyond human control.

After passing these proposed measures, the conference adjourned.

DOMINICA TO HOLD GENERAL ELECTION

San Domingo, Sept. 26.—A general election will soon be held in the Dominican Republic under proper conditions as a result of the suspension of hostilities agreed to by the rebels at Puerto Plata after a conference between their leaders and James M. Sullivan, the American minister. The chief clause of the agreement was that conditions in the republic should be allowed to remain as they were before the revolt. The Dominican ports which have been blockaded are expected to be opened shortly.

HERE IS W. H. TAFT AS HE WAS AND AS HE IS



WILLIAM H. TAFT'S 250 POUND LOOK. HE TAFT MEANS 80 POUNDS. The news that William Howard Taft has lost eighty pounds through his own exercise and strict breakfasts since leaving the White House last March is here borne out by photographs. One shows Mr. Taft when, in spite of Presidential cares, he weighed 226 pounds. The other shows his new 246 pound look, which he wears at present. The photograph was made while Mr. Taft watched the qualifying rounds at Brookline, Mass., for the open golf title.

BOYS RIFLED CAR AND MADE A BIG HAUL

Used Dynamite to Open Express Safe—Made Successful Getaway—Deputy Shot in Mistake for Robber.

Cottonbale, Alta., Sept. 26.—Two mere boys were the bandits who early today rifled the mail car and dynamited the express safe on the Alabama Great Southern train near this place and escaped with booty variously estimated at from a few hundred to fifty thousand dollars.

In the search for the bandits Deputy Sheriff James Bonner, of Birmingham, was shot and killed by a member of another posse from Montgomery, who mistook Bonner for one of the robbers.

LONDON MAY HAVE EXPRESSMEN'S STRIKE

Fifteen Thousand Men Will be Involved—Strikers Try to Hold Up Traffic in Streets

London, Sept. 26.—London is threatened with another strike which if materialized, will involve 15,000 employees of the various parcel express delivery companies. At the present time the dispute is confined to one firm, but following the tactics of the busmen in their recent strike, the express employees threaten to call out all the members of their union unless the employers recognize the transport workers' union.

Attempts to hold up vans tonight resulted in several conflicts between strikers and the police.

SAVING OF THOUSAND DOLLARS A CARLOAD

Canadian Butter and Farm Produce Being Held in Bond Awaiting Passage of Tariff Bill.

St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 26.—Canadian butter and farm produce are being shipped to commission men here and held in bonded warehouses until the passage of the tariff bill, which is expected to lower the duty approximately \$1000 a carload. Several large shipments of produce also are being held on the Canadian side of the border.

MARRIED.

DOUGLAS-STRATON—On Wednesday evening, September 24, at Simonds, by the Rev. Canon Hoyt, William G. Douglas, to Miss Daisy V. Stratton, both of Lattermore's Lake, Simonds.

DIED.

COWAN—In this city, on the 24th inst., Mr. Isaac M. Cowan, aged 71 years, leaving a wife and three children to mourn. Funeral from his late residence, 111 Main street, Saturday afternoon at 2.30.

MEAHAN—At St. Andrews, on the 25th inst., Margaret A. Meahan. Funeral at St. Andrews on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

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BOTH INDICTED FOR CONSPIRACY TO COUNTERFEIT

Federal Grand Jury Indicts Hans Schmidt and Dr. Muret on Charge—Alienists Mure Schmidt's Sanity.

New York, Sept. 26.—The federal grand jury today returned an indictment against the confessed slayer of Anna Amneller, Hans Schmidt, and his associate "Dr." Ernest Muret, charging both with conspiracy to counterfeit. The two men will not be arraigned in federal court until next week.

Three alienists examined Schmidt for an hour and a half today at the office of District Attorney Whitman, who was present. Schmidt will be further examined next week by the end of which a report is expected on the slayer's mental condition. The alienists, Dr. Wm. Mabon, Dr. Charles F. McDonald, and Dr. Charles H. Kirby, Dr. Kirby is clinical director of the State Hospital for the Insane on Ward's Island.

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FERNS BESTS CHICAGO MAN IN TEN ROUNDS.

Kenosha, Wis., Sept. 26.—"Wildcat" Ferns, of Kansas City, had the better over Billy Walters, of Chicago, in their ten-round bout in the Kenosha Arena tonight. Ferns was carrying the fight to the naval champion most of the time and Walters took a severe beating.

In the early rounds the battling was pretty even but Ferns had a big advantage in the closing rounds.

OPERA HOUSE OF REGULAR OPENING DRAMATIC STOCK SEASON MONDAY EVENING, Oct. 6 THOMPSON-WOODS STOCK CO. "ALIAS JIMMY VALENTINE" MATINEES EVERY DAY COMMENCING WEDNESDAY PRICES: MATINEES—15, 25c NIGHTS—15, 25, 35, 50

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TOBACCO TRUST SEALED UP IN GERMANY TO BE PROBED

Business Men Have Asked for Investigation—Combine has Been Watched by Government for Some Time.

Berlin, Sept. 26.—Preliminary steps for an investigation of the operations of the "tobacco trust," in connection with the German cigarette industry, have been taken by the government. The secretary of state for the interior, replying today to the petition sent him by the Hansa league, an association of business men, on September 17, asking him to order an inquiry into the subject, the German government has long had its eye on the operations of the "trust."

ELECTION WILL BE KEENLY CONTESTED

Choice of Councillors in Carleton County Creating Much Interest—Party Politics Introduced by Liberals.

Special to The Standard. Hartland, N. B., Sept. 26.—In the election for county councillors on the 14th of October there is a considerable interest manifested, more in fact than in some of the more important elections. The slate, as stated in the Observer, is as follows: For Brighton, E. C. Moran, E. A. Britton, Henry London and Rainsford Birmingham; for Peel, the present councillor, Neilville, J. Chipman Hunter and F. T. Atkinson, of the N. B. Telephone Company. In Aberdeen a contest is probable, but the candidates are not yet named. Kent has the old councillors in the field, with John E. Kirby as an extra man seeking suffrage. In Wicklow, Wilnot and Simonds matters are liable to remain as they are at present. In Wakefield, William Keeney and A. G. Bell are candidates and it is said that Alex. Strong, of Lindsay, and H. G. Oliver, of Victoria, will also offer. In most of these places the new contestants have been stirred up by the Liberal leaders of the county to oppose those who are of Conservative tendencies.

FUNERALS.

Mrs. Frank Ward. The funeral of Mrs. Frank Ward took place yesterday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from her late residence, 325 City road. Funeral services were read by the Rev. Wm. Lawson and interment was in Cedar Hill cemetery.

R. Ward Thorne. At 2.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon the funeral of the late R. Ward Thorne took place from his residence, 198 Duke street. The Rev. W. H. Barradough officiated at the funeral and interment was in Fernhill.

Mrs. M. Gallagher. At 2.30 o'clock yesterday morning the funeral of Mrs. M. Gallagher took place from her late residence, 690 Main street. Requiem high mass was celebrated in St. Peter's church by the Rev. E. Holland, C. S. S. R. Interment was in the old Catholic cemetery.

Mrs. Mary Baillie Bartlett of Boston is endorsed by prominent people all through New England as an entertainer who has attained a high degree of perfection. Miss Blenda S. Thomson, who is most favorably known in local musical circles, will give several vocal selections. St. David's church lecture room, Tuesday evening, Sept. 30th.

Miss Mylott Coming. Miss Eva Mylott's opening concert of her Maritime tour at Halifax Academy of Music, Thursday evening, was a veritable triumph and a crowded audience was charmed by her singing. Advance tickets for her appearance in this city October 17th, are selling rapidly at the hands of the R. K. Y. C. committee. Halifax papers are loud in her praise, and a rich artistic treat is assured.

SEALED UP THROUGH THE GATUN LOCKS

Most Important Step Thus far Taken Toward Operation of the Panama Canal.

Panama, Sept. 26.—The most important step thus far toward the operation of the Panama Canal took place today when the sea-going tug boat Gatun, drawing twelve and a half feet of water, was successfully passed through the Gatun locks and tonight floats on the beam of Gatun lake.

The tug, gallily decorated in the roomy lock-chambers appeared like a toy boat in a tub. Its navigation was personally supervised by W. G. Combra, head of the directing operations of the Canal. The vessel was raised to the middle level at 5.45 p. m., and passed into the upper chamber at 6.30 p. m.

Then at 6.42 p. m. the last gate was sprung, and although the tropic night had fallen the waiting crowd remained and watched the tug sail out on the placid waters of Gatun Lake. A rousing demonstration followed.

The Daily Hint from Paris.



Two times of dark blue are combined in this afternoon gown. An outer robe of embroidered violet blue crepe chiton is draped over a foundation of navy blue satin. The satin borders in flat plinge the crease, makes the grille, rosette and a wide fold that is placed just above the knees. Tuckers of fancy cream net. Alencon lace sleeve ruffles.—Maison Jeanne.

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STEAMSHIP NOTES

The steamer Thors, 633 tons, C. Hansen, arrived in port yesterday from Boston to load for Havana. The Empress of Britain arrived Quebec at 12.45 yesterday morning. The Ruthenia, from Trieste, arrives at Quebec at 10 p. m. today. The Montague docked at Vancouver at 2.50 p. m. Tuesday. The Allan line stmr Corsican arrived at Quebec at 5 o'clock Thursday evening.

The Allan line stmr Scandinavia was 170 miles east of Belleisle at 6 o'clock Thursday evening, due at Quebec at 10 p. m. Monday. The White Star Dominion Canada was 85 miles east of Belleisle at 7 o'clock Thursday night, due at Quebec Sunday at noon; Montreal, Monday morning.

Montreal, Sept. 26.—The C. P. R. Mount Temple has been floated. 5.30 this morning six tugs pulling full power effected the release of the ship. It will take some time to ascertain how much damage was done. The ship is now at piers are looking her over. About large loads of her cargo had lighted on Thursday in order to get the ship to rise above the water line.

WILL LOAD GRAIN.

Portland Argus: The charter of first tramp boat to load grain this fall was announced yesterday. The British steamer Fishpool has been engaged to load 30,000 quarters for Avonmouth or Rotterdam. The steamer was last reported as from Barry on August 27 for Rio de Janeiro. It will probably be in October when she reaches this port. She was chartered at 2s. 6d per ton, an unusually low rate, only 10 p. more than one would expect on the steamer loading here last season.

MINIATURE ALMANAC

Table with 4 columns: Month, Day, High Water, Low Water. Rows for Sept, Oct, Nov, Dec.

VESSELS IN PORT.

Table with 4 columns: Ship Name, Tonnage, Agent, Origin. Lists various ships in port.

PORT OF ST. JOHN, N. B.

Arrived Friday, Sept. 26th. Stmr Thors, 633, Hansen, from Boston. Stmr Pejespat, 75, Sweet, from St. Martins, and old. C. M. Stmr Calvin Austin, 253, Boston, A. E. Fleming, mds. pass. Coastwise—Stmr Mildred, 27, Meteghan; Grand Manan, 1, gersoll, North Head and old. Emerald, 32, Small, Grand and old; Friendship, 65, Harvey; schs Alice & Jenn Guthrie, Boston; Cascaro, galls, St. George. Cleared. Stmr Esaufring Stevenson, Pa. Coastwise—Stmr Connors Brock, Chance Harbor; sch Jennie, Guthrie, Sandy Cove sailed.

DOMESTIC PORTS

Chatham—Cld Sept 24, str McWilliams, Limerick. Montreal—Cld Sept 25, str plan, Glasgow; Pisa, Hamburg; Halifax—Ard Sept 25, str stinian, Glasgow and Liverpool. Sid Sept 25, sch Ida M. Clearing grounds of South Atlantic Ocean, Demerara via B. W. I. Dalhousie—Ard Sept 23, sch Berryman, New York; bark D. wend. Quebec—Ard Sept 25, strc Liverpool; Pomeranian, Lond.

BRITISH PORTS.

London—Ard Sept 25, stmr Montreal. Brox Head—Signalled Sept Rappahannock, St. John. Southampton—Sid Sept 25, dania, Montreal. St. W. Adams. Hong Kong—Sid Sept 25, press of India, Vancouver. Glasgow—Ard Sept 23, str ten, Philadelphia via St. John. Greenock—Ard Sept 23, str